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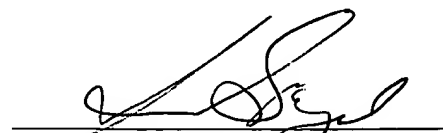
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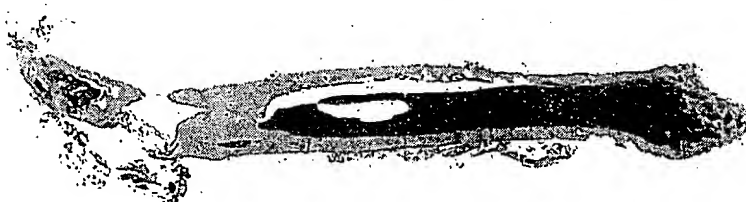


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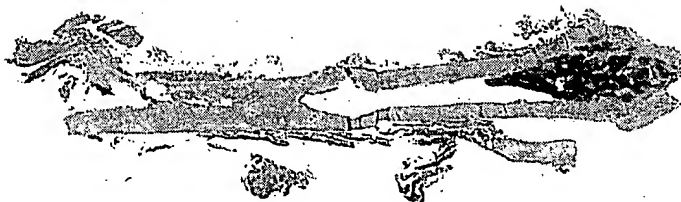


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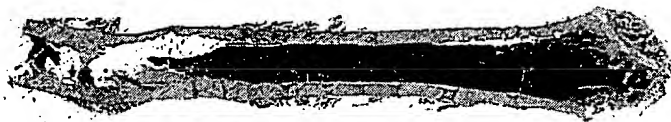
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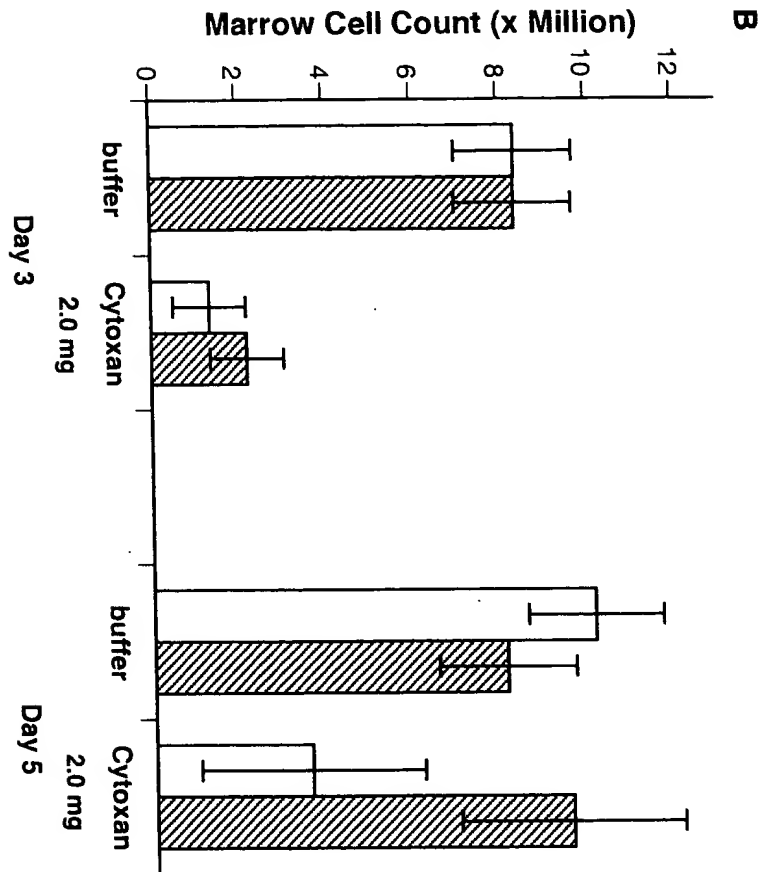


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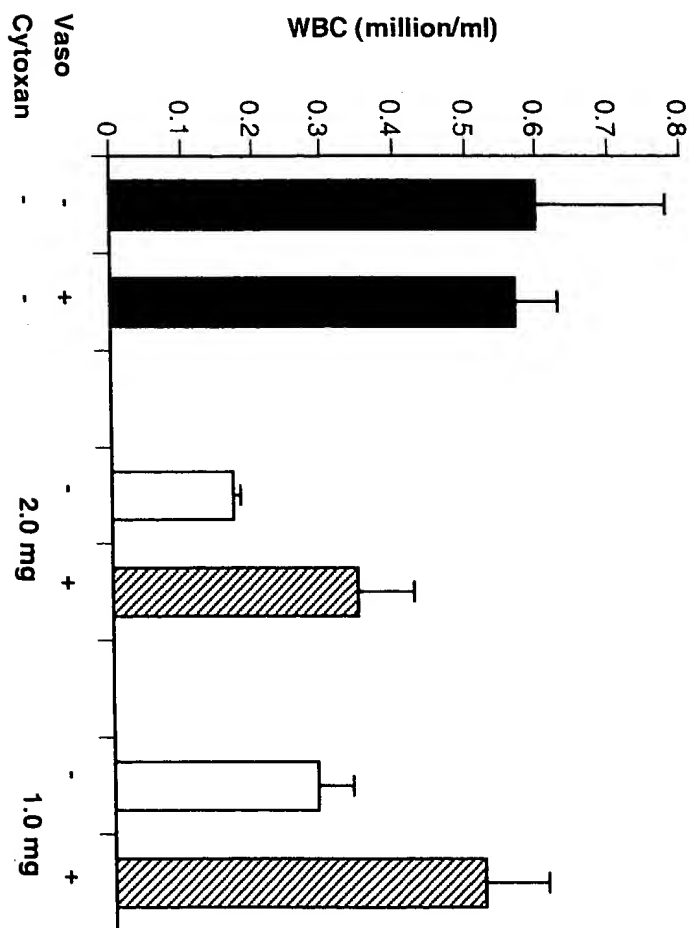


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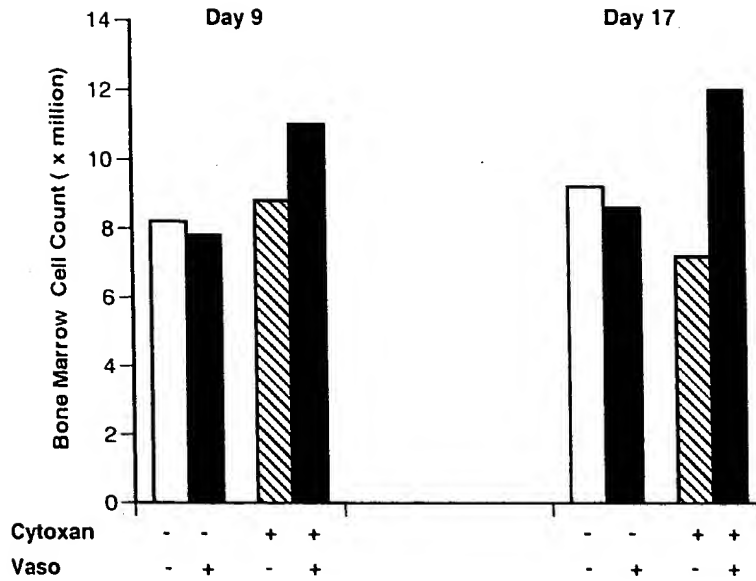
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Figure 4A

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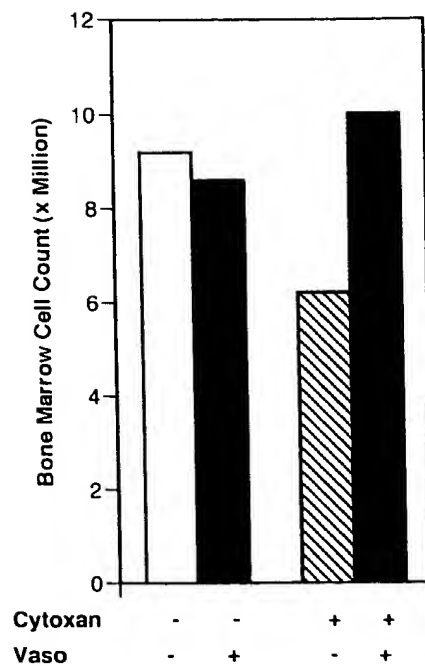
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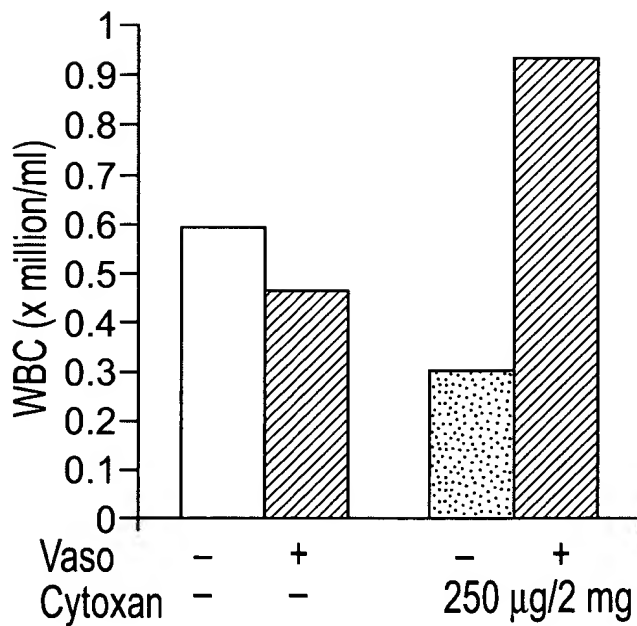


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FIG. 4C





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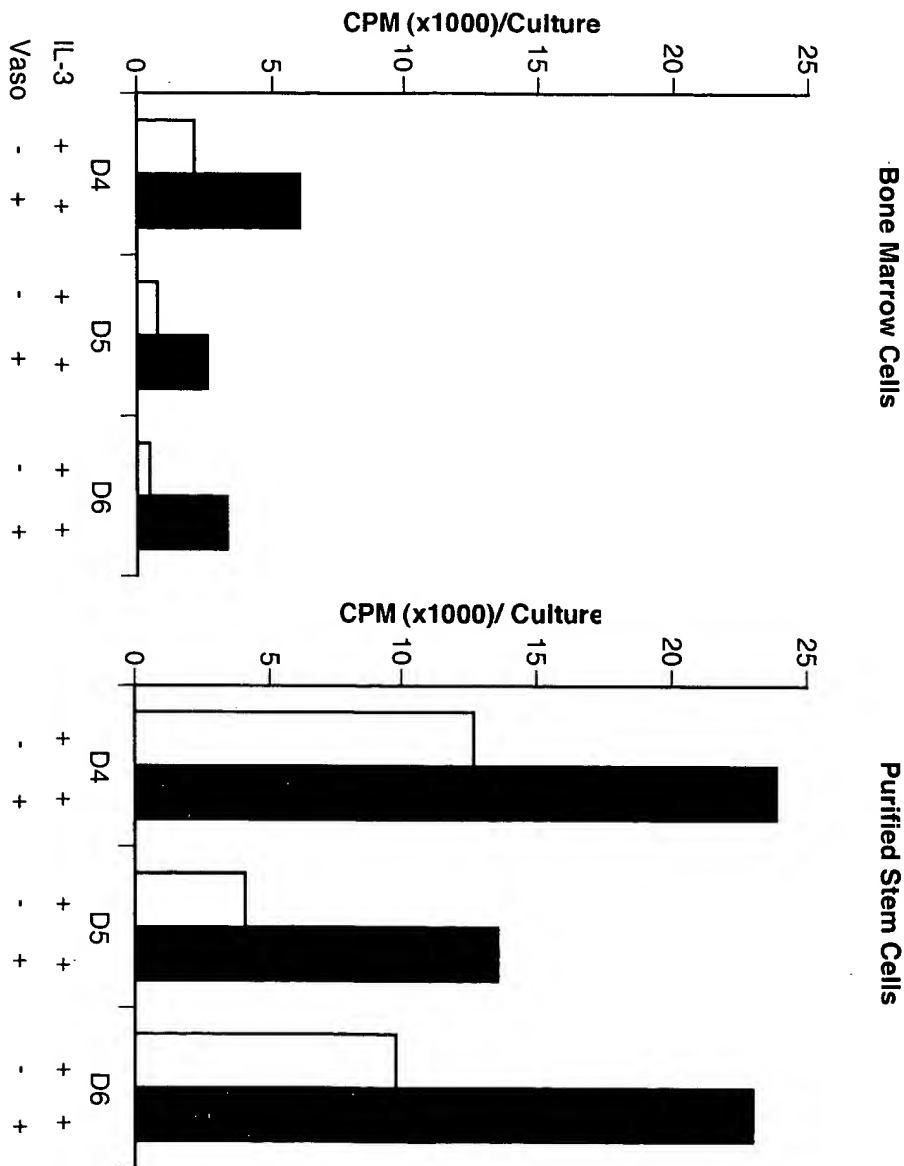
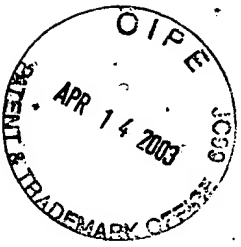


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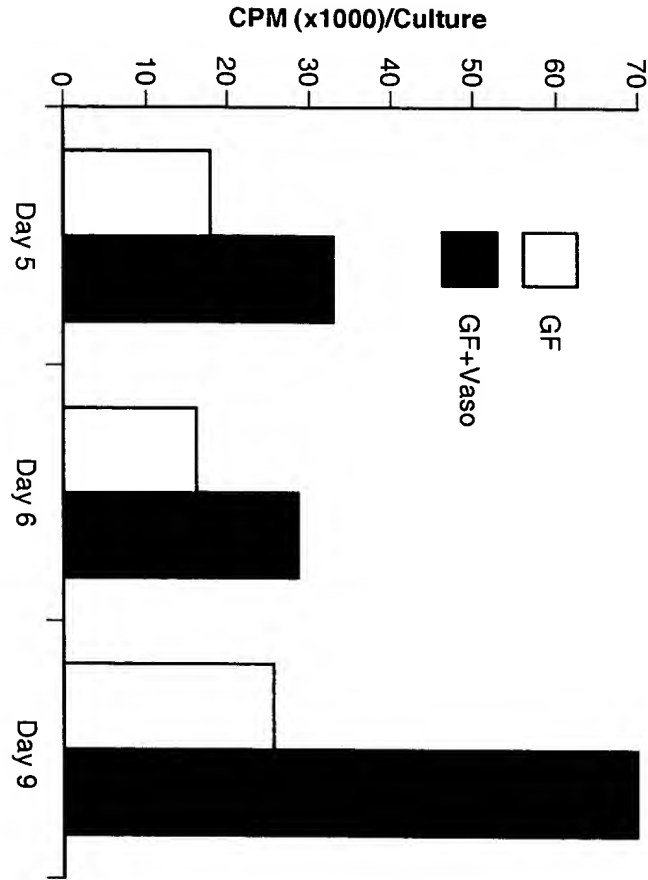


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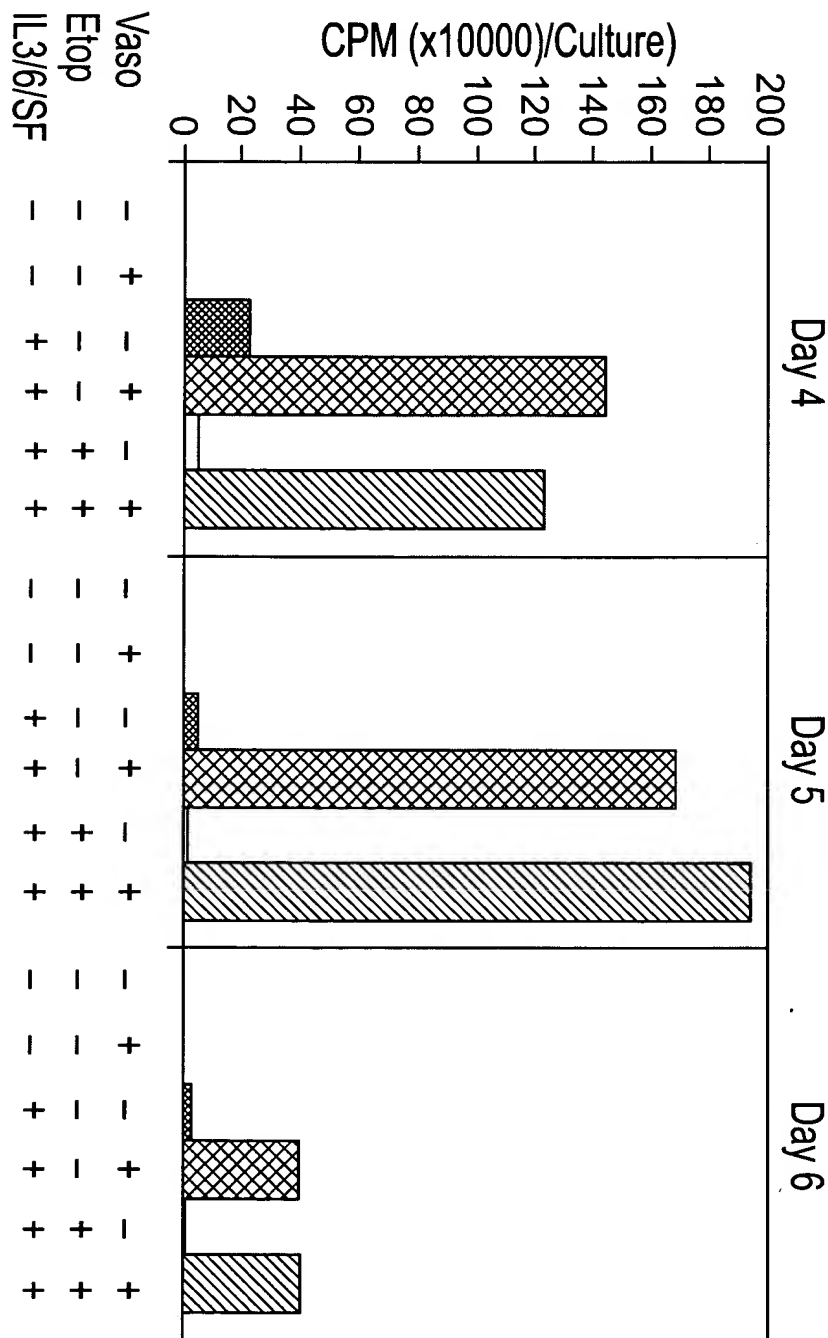


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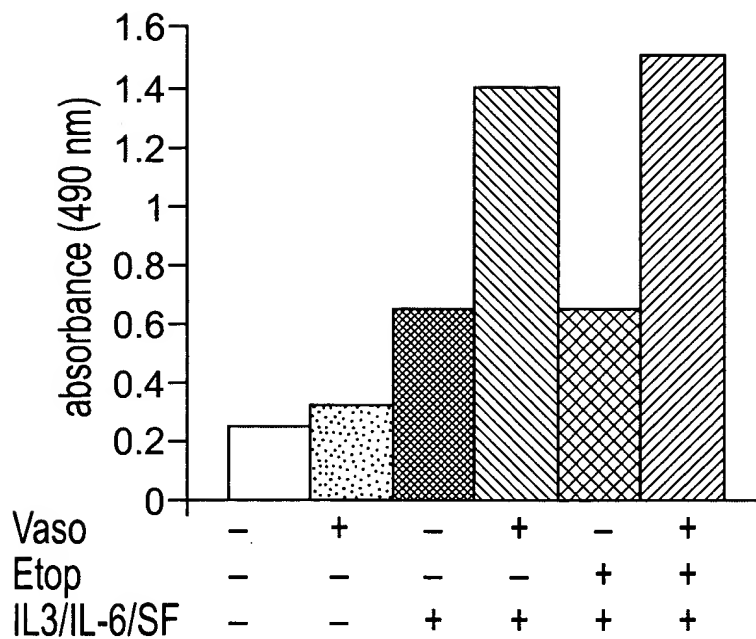


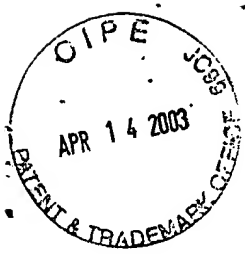
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FIG. 9B





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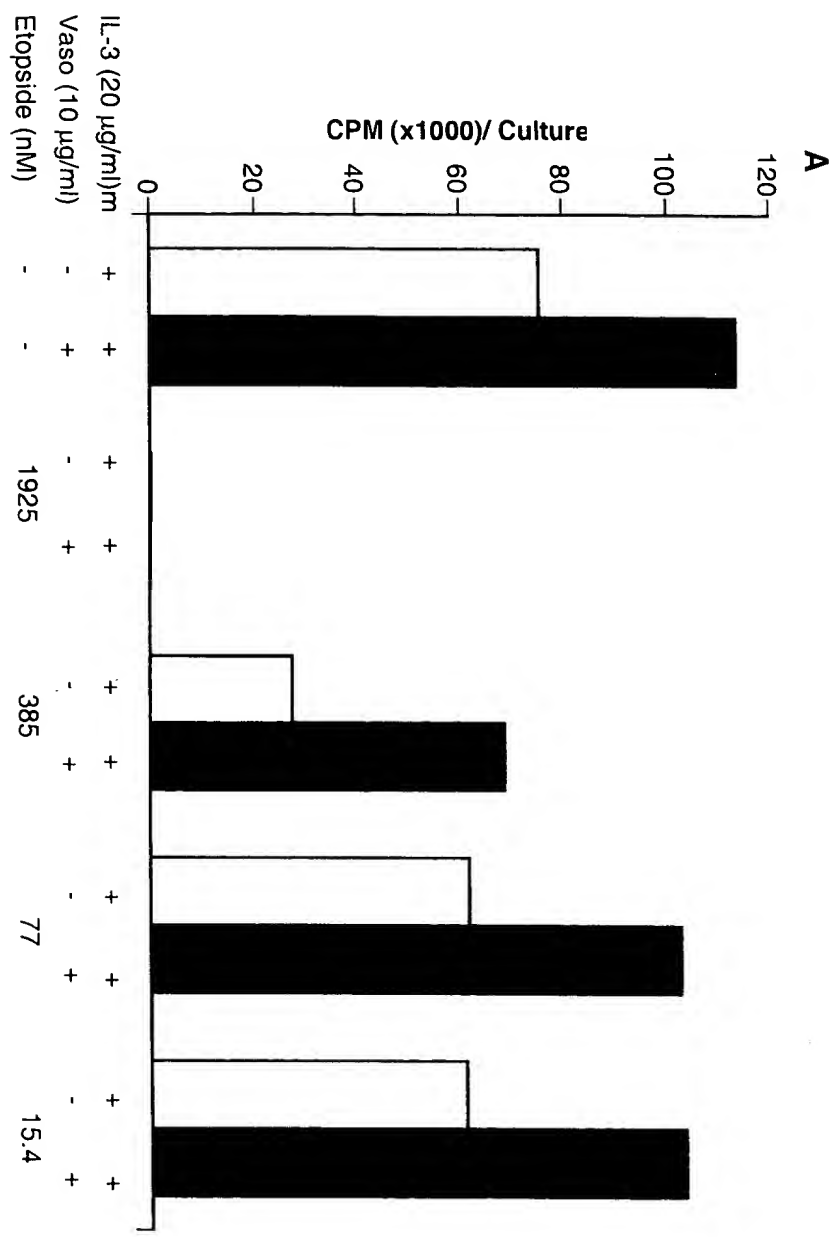


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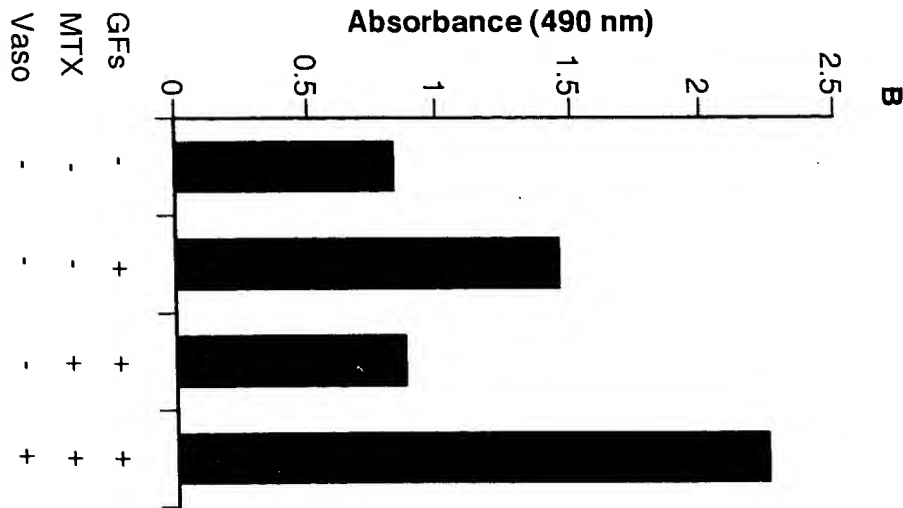
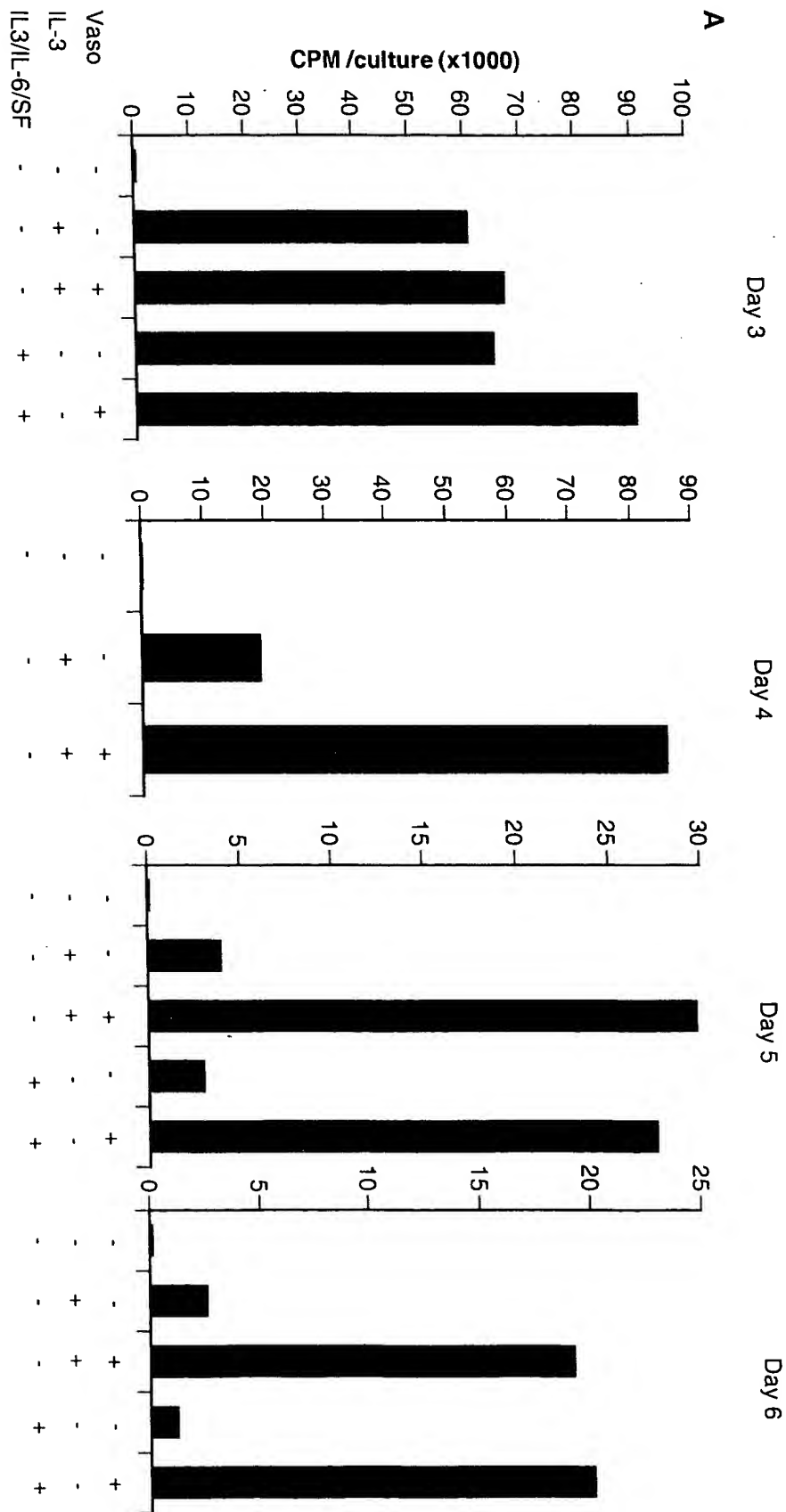


Figure 7B



**Figure 8A**



FIG. 14

